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PART IV.

NOTIFICATIONS BY THE HEADS OF DEPARTMENTS.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

CHIEF COURT OF MYSORE, BANGALORE.

P. No. 37-2 *of* 1924-25, *dated* 20*th April* 1925.

BRIEF REVIEW ON THE WORKING OF THE PROCESS ESTABLISHMENT OF THE SEVERAL MUNSIFFS' COURTS IN THE STATE DURING THE QUARTER ENDING THE 31ST DECEMBER 1924.

Part I (General).

There was no change in the number of Nazaraths (21) and of the men employed therein (159 Amins and 456 peons). In the establishment of the Shimoga Munsiff's Court the places of 6 peons were left vacant during the quarter with a view to minimise the loss at which that establishment was working for some quarters; and there were also left vacant the places of 2 peons in the establishment of Sagar Munsiff's Court, of 3 peons in that of Mysore Second Munsiff's Court and of 4 peons in that of Hassan Munsiff's Court.

The average number of processes served by an Amin and a peon fell from 75·3 and 157·2 in the previous quarter to 71·4 and 149·9 respectively in the present quarter (the prescribed minima being 37·5 and 100 respectively). There was also a fall in the number of processes served (63,928 against 67,949) and in that served personally (45,727 against 47,521), the percentage of personal service rose to as high as 71·5 throughout the State, only three courts Chikmagalur, Hassan and Hole-Narsipur failing to reach 65 per cent. Of these three however Chikmagalur only reached 56·2 per cent a failure of which due notice has been taken. It has however to be noticed that the work of this Court is reported to have been hampered by outbreaks of plague in parts of Chikmagalur, Mudgere and Kadur Taluks.

The receipts fell from Rs. 37,329-1-0 to 37,075-7-0, and the charges from Rs. 27,312-7-2 to 26,793-12-1 (owing to the pay of some of the peons in the Shimoga Munsiff's Court, for November and December 1924, amounting to Rs. 388-6-0, having been withheld for future payment for failure to submit their proposal for insurance), resulting in the increase in the net savings from Rs. 10,016-9-10 to Rs. 10,281-10-11, being Rs. 265-1-1 more than in the previous quarter.

The percentage of personal service of each court is shown in the appended statement from which it will be seen that ten courts achieved 70 per cent and over and of these the three best were the Second Munsiff's Court, Tumkur with 89·7 per cent, Munsiff's Court, Kolar Gold Fields with 83·4 per cent and Munsiff's Court, Kolar with 78·6 per cent.

The names of courts are arranged below in order of merit in regard to the percentage of personal service :—

(1)	Second Munsiff's Court, Tumkur	... 89·7 per cent
(2)	Munsiff's Court, Kolar Gold Fields ...	... 83·4 do
(3)	Do Kolar	... 78·6 do
(4)	Munsiff's Court, Nanjangud	... 75·5 do
(5)	Second Munsiff's Court, Bangalore ...	... 75·2 do
(6)	First Munsiff's Court, Bangalore	... 75·0 do
(7)	Second Munsiff's Court, Mysore	... 73·6 do
(8)	First Munsiff's Court, Mysore	... 73·5 do
(9)	Do Tumkur	... 73·3 do
(10)	Munsiff's Court, Sagar	... 70·6 do
(11)	Munsiff's Court, Chikballapur	... 69·2 do
(12)	Do Dodballapur	... 68·7 do
(13)	Do Davangere	... 67·36 do
(14)	Do Shimoga	... 67·34 do
(15)	Do Narasimharajapura ...	... 67·1 do
(16)	Do Maddagiri	... 67·07 do
(17)	Do Seringapatam	... 65·3 do
(18)	Do Chitaldrug	... 65·1 do
(19)	Do Hole-Narsipur	... 64·8 do
(20)	Do Hassan	... 63·2 do
(21)	Do Chikmagalur	... 56·2 do

A. SREENIVASARAGAVACHARI,
Registrar.

BANGALORE DISTRICT.

Memo dated 30th April—6th May 1925.

In continuation of this office Circular No. 18, dated 23rd February 1925, it is hereby ordered that the Bench of Hoskote composed of Messrs. Javali Rudrappa (Chairman) and Pujari Munisamappa, may work beyond their term to conclude the trial of part heard cases. The period shall not extend beyond 20th June 1925.

Memo No. Cir. 23, dated Camp Channapatna, 7th May 1925.

In continuation of this office Circular No. 23, dated 14th March 1925, it is hereby ordered that the Bench of Closepet composed of Messrs. Venkatasamiah (Chairman), N. Srikantiah and M. Ramiah may work beyond their term to conclude the trial of part heard cases.